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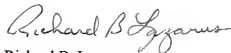
Sir:

Petitioner, Applicant in the above-identified application, hereby requests that the response to the outstanding Office Action submitted today be accepted pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). The response is a request for continued examination as well as an amendment, both filed on this date. The outstanding Office Action was issued on March 6, 2007, the initial period for a response expiring June 6, 2007.

As required, the appropriate fee of \$120.00 specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for a one-month extension is submitted herewith. Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg LLP, Account Number 10-0435 (7175-74151).

Respectfully submitted,

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